From College Hall...

DESPERATE MALE SHORTAGE HITS STATE WOMEN

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By ART BLUM

Piteous cries, jubilant shouts, soulful wails, and heart-rending moans echoed and re-echoed through the stately but dismal corridors of College Hall as "Black Friday" came to State last week, as it has schools all over the nation, when one of the last remaining vestiges of State's dwindling manpower, the Enlisted Army Reserves, were given notice to report for active duty on Monday, March 8th.

What were the thoughts that flashed across the minds of these campus heroes when they first received their notice? Did they beat their chests in pride, or did they beat their heads in anger? Did they —but here's what some of them actually did say and it makes mighty interesting reading:

DICK MACLURE: "Ten women to every fellow at State! And they hafta call me now."

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ED ROBINSON: "I can see the headlines now. Robinson leaves for Army; 1000 State co-eds become nuns!' '

AL VLADIMIROFF: "Say, I'm glad to go. Been wanting to for a long time. And it's great we're all going down in a bunch."

GEORGE DROLETTE: "Ah, at last. No more books, no more tuition, no more women!" (Editor's Note.—The boy's got a great sense of humor, eh what?)

PETE CUTTITA: "No comment, except that maybe it's about time and we'll all do our darndest."

AL GORIA: "Don't quote me, but I think it's great stuff. I hate to leave State, of course, but then we've all been expecting this for a long time."

ART BLUM: "Awk!!!"

RICHARD PERRY: "Oh, I say! Is it legal?"

ERWIN GIMOV: "Huh, is it kosher?"

VINCE McGRATH: "Some people have got it—other's ain't! I got it!" (he said, looking at his induction notice.)

IRV EDSTROM: "They can't do this to me—er, can they?"

RICHARD GEORGE: "I'm leaving? Oh, the poor women!"

BOB WOOD: "It's wonderful! It's great! It's marvelous! It's—hey, what am I saying?"

MILTON VAIL: "All the time I keep humming, 'This is the Army, Mr. Vail.' I tell you this is the swellest thing that's ever happened to me!"

WARREN HOFFMAN: "State's a grand place, but after all, a taste of army life sounds like a mighty good deal to me."

BOB KITCHEN: "Hitler will pay for this!"

And so it goes. Some joking, others serious. But it all adds up to one thing, that these guys, who have kiddingly dedicated themselves "to the women they have left behind" will be out there smashing the props out from under the Axis and when that little job is finished, they'll come back, proud in that they'd done a man's job, and ready to carry on with their education, which, after all, is one of the things that we're all fighting for!

★ ★ STATE'S HONOR ROLL ★ ★

Arthur L. Blum
Irving M. Blum
Peter Cuttitta
George Drolette
Charles W. Ebeling
Irvin A. Edstrom
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Robert L. Wood
Hal Keller
Jim Synan
George Lorbeer
Jack Freeman
Alex De Conde

...To the Bugle Call

E.R.C. STUDENTS LEAVE MARCH 8 FOR MONTEREY

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Rationing of manpower at San Francisco State—the problem that has caused both the administration and the State co-eds to have many a sleepless night these past months—has become harsh reality with the announcement that the majority of the Enlisted Army Reserves of this college will be called to active duty on Monday, March 8th!

The exact time and place of the departure is as yet unknown, pending negotiations with the railroad and the Army officials.

PREPARE TO LEAVE

In the meantime, the 25 reservists who have been called are making plans to withdraw from college today and tomorrow. Many of the E. R. C.'s have been busying themselves by auditing special classes at San Francisco Junior College designed especially for collegians entering the Army.

Though details of the time and place of departure are as yet a dark secret to the reservists, Dean Valentine has announced that Charles Hayden will be in charge of the State detachment en route to Monterey. The State group, incidentally, will be joined by a detachment of Junior College reservists when the train pulls out for Fort Ord.

MORE TO GO

Orders for the remaining E. R. C.'s are expected by the Dean any day, so the few left behind won't have too long a wait themselves.

Many of the Staters in the Naval V-7 program have received their individual notices and will leave State on Friday, March 5.

— Buy Defense Bonds Today! —

Golden Gater

Get Your Student Body Card In Room 119

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Meanderings

By PIERRE SALINGER

IT is this writer's opinion that since this paper is supported by you, the students, it is YOUR paper and should voice your opinions. If you have anything to say that you feel the rest of the students will be interested in, send your missive to this column and we will see to it that the same is aired. Anonymous letters will not be printed.

We would like to bid farewell to our 23 buddies who are leaving for the army on March 8. Anyhing we can say about their leaving has already been said in more eloquent language at another time.

Among this group there are fellows who have been here for three or four years. There are some who have only been here a few short months.

They're all starting out for that fight to see to it that schools like this one still exist after the war is over. All we can say is: "So long, fellows—see you later."

This item isn't to stir up the old college rah rah spirit, but in the last few months, State Spirit has been getting better and better. Two years ago an average Stater read about his team in the paper once or twice a month, went to a game once or twice a year and said he was a real booster.

Two weeks ago, 18 Staters went 140 miles to see their team play—a rooting section of 18 drowned out the bigger C. O. P. rooting section. A month ago rooters traveled to San Jose and a month and a half ago to Chico.

Maybe the O. D. T. doesn't especially go for it, but that's real State spirit, and don't think that a measure of State's success on the hardwoods this year isn't due to that school spirit.

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CAMPUS CALENDAR FOR COMING WEEK

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FRIDAY, Feb. 26 (Today)—
I.R.C. Folk Dancing, even'g

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MONDAY, March 1—
Intramural Baseball Begins

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WEDNESDAY, March 3—
Baseball, S. F. State plays U. S. Receiving Ship Team.
Noonday Dance in gym.
A. W. S. Open House in Activities Room.
Newman Club Open House at Sienna House, 7:30

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THURSDAY, March 4—
10 a. m., Faculty meeting, classes dismissed.
Sigma Alpha Eta Oreintation talks.

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SATURDAY, March 6—
Frosh Hop.

SPRING ENROLLMENT HITS 1106 STUDENTS

Enrollment figures for the spring semester show that there are 1106 students registered at the present time, according to Miss Lois Polanshek of the Registrar's office. This figure consists of 960 students and 146 limited students.

This latest figure on enrollment shows a decrease of about 100 students from the fall semester the total enrollment for that time being 1210.

This spring semester found 25 persons re-entering college who had not registered last semester, however, ten of whom are men.

Frosh Hop

Next Saturday Set For Spring Informal

Sugar is being rationed, coffee is being rationed, gas is being rationed, yes — even men are being rationed, but despite all this, the Frosh Hop will become a rhythmic reality when on Saturday evening, March 6, the Class of '46 will invite all of San Francisco State to be its guests at its "Ration Card Blues" at the Century Club, 1355 Franklin, near Sutter.

INFORMAL AFFAIR

Admission to this fourth of State's wartime proms will only be $1.50 per couple, and dancing will last from 9 to 12.

According to Mary Alice Scott, co-chairman of the affair, the dance will be for the first time an informal one. As Mary explains it: "Girls will wear street dresses, thus making corsages unnecessary! But the fellows won't get off so easily. They still must doll themselves up in dark suits, as per usual."

BUY TICKETS TODAY

Tickets will go on sale today in the regular ticket selling booth, opposite the Co-op in College Hall.

Members of the "Ration Card Blues" committee are Mary Alice Scott, Dick Zink, Lorraine La Cava, Marge Sheperd, Flo Morrison, Alan Godfrey, Beulah Goldstone, Grace Kremesec, Pat Leake, and Art Blum, publicity director.

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International Relations Club Elects New Officers

The International Relations club opened up the spring semester by holding their semi-annual election of officers last week.

Myra Warrero was elected to lead the club in its activities during the coming semester. Other officers elected were: Barbara Jeusero, vice president; Jane Renstrom, secretary; Marc Gelles, treasurer; Millard Margenstern, publicity; and Wanda Michelli, A. W. S. representative.

New members will be welcome to the club and anyone interested in joining should contact one of the officers.

Greets Students

Dr. Alexander C. Roberts

Students Hear Dean Deutsch At Assembly

"Only as the bonds of brotherhood grow stronger can we realize the American dream," stated Dr. Monroe E. Deutsch, dean of the University of California, in an address to students at the first student body assembly held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday, February 24.

Dr. Deutsch, who was introduced by President Alexander C. Roberts, spoke in observance of Brotherhod Week in regard to the beliefs of the Japanese and Germans that their races are superior. He emphasized the point in our own Constitution which states that all men are created equal, that this fact in itself has led to most of the bloodshed and suffering throughout the world.

MASTER RACES

"The Japanese and Germans are alike in several respects," said Dr. Deutsch, "chiefly in their ideas of cruelty, treachery and nationalism." The sources of these characteristics is that each believes that he is the superior or master race. This conception is one of the main causes of the war.

"Our conception of human equality is diametrically opposed to Nazi authority," Dr. Deutsch pointed out, "and because of this fact, we as Americans should not only think democratic ideals, but live them."

Dr. Deutsch cited examples from the Constitution, namely, the 14th Amendment, which states that all persons born in the United States are citizens. This is our law based on equality which makes citizenship an inalienable right.

Acts of un-Americanism were related in regard to the minority of the Negroes, anti-Semitics, anti-Japanese and anti-Chinese movements, which have yet to be abolished from this country. These lead to the beliefs that one race is superior to another. People who believe this are traitors not only to their form of government but to their religion.

NOTIFY FRANCISCAN IF YOU ARE LEAVING

With many students leaving each week for the armed forces, it is becoming increasingly hard to contact them before they leave concerning Franciscan pictures.

Therefore, any student who expects to leave within the next few weeks, should come into the Franciscan office, Annex A-3, today or Monday, and make an appointment to have a picture taken for this year's enlarged annual.

VIRGINIA HOWARD, Editor.

Rally

First Spring Rally Brings Big Success

State's first rally of the Spring semester was held yesterday at noon in the Women's gymnasium.

Featuring three big acts, the rally attracted the biggest crowd that has attended any rally in a long time. Stan Lerche, genial gentleman of magic, was the master of ceremonies.

The featured attractions were the boogie-woogie piano playing of Macio Williams, the sweet singing of Dorothy Fitzpatrick, the jitterbugging of U. S. F. basketball player, Paul Napolitano, Leighton Edelman's Swing Five, and a stirring address by Chronicle Basketball Editor Bruce Lee..

The rally was held as a pep-up for the U. S. F. basketball game that fas held last night. Chairman of the rally was Pierre Salinger.

About 20 U. S. F. students attended the rally, heightening the rivalry between the Gaters and the "School on the Hill."

The rally will not be the last one for the term, as the new rally commissioner, Anita Pakele, wha was appointed at the last Executive Board meeting has many plans for rallys to come in the near future.

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Newman Club Open House On March 3rd

Annual Open House of the Newman Club will be held Wednesday evening, 7:30 to 10, in conjunction with their regular meeting.

Open House will be held at the Siena House, 350 Buchanan street, and is open to all Catholic students and faculty and all those who are interested in the group.

Arrangements for the affair are being taken care of by Betty Jane Rank, vicepresident; working with the officers are Irwin Fumagalli, Beatrice Ferraris, Mary Frances Heaney, and Pierre Salinger. The active members who will act as receptionists are Gloria Jean Stitt, Lorraine Thomas, Marian Egan, Cecelia Thein and Lorraine La Cava.

State Ekes Out Victory in First Round of P. A. A. Play

Publications

Scholten, Thein Head Gater Staff

The **Golden Gater** will be guided through another hectic but promising seester by an able group of newspapermen and women, whether they be veteran writers or cub reporters.

The distinguished but responsible position of Editor-in-Chief will be filled by Paul Scholten, prominent journalist and director of publicatins. Assisting Editor Scholten will be June Gyselbrecht, last semester's city editor, as Associate Editor.

Cecilia Thein, who has a myriad of good ideas about the business end of the paper, will fill the post of Business Manager. Incidentally, if anyone is interested in working on the business staff he or she should contact Miss Thein.

Pierre Salinger, up and coming young journalist, takes over as Managing Editor, replacing Dick Wallace. Dick Wallace is now City Editor.

George Caulfield, still a freshman, will handle the sports for the semester.

The position of Feature Editor will be filled by Betty Cloak. Betty replaces Art Blum, who is leaving soon for the Army. Blum was elected assistant managing editor, but under the circumstances, he will do all his editing for Uncle Sam.

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Annual Talks Presented to Newcomers

In an effort to give incoming freshmen the opportunity to learn about student activities from student leaders, the Orientation classes, next Thursday, March 4, will hear talks from representatives of all the extra-curricular groups on the campus.

Under the guidance of Sigma Alpha Eta, men's honor fraternity, which is presenting the program, representatives of men's athletics, women's activities ,music, journalism, club life and student government, will speak.

The affair, presented under the sponsorship of Dean Mary A. Ward and Dean Walter J. Homan, who are heartily in favor of this plan to show the new students the diversity of extra-curricular activities offered at State.

Paul Scholten, president of the senior class, will be chairman of the event and will introduce the speakers, who will include Frances Young, Al Goria, Darrio Cassina, Dorothy Throndson and Leighton Edelman.

S. F. A. C. Falls to Gater Attack; U. S. F. Crucial Last Night

By TERRY KILPATRICK

State's shibboleth, viz., the P.A.A., as anticipated, proved the long-dreamt-of, mythical sesame which finally burst open the shimmering portals through which an erstwhile, tactfully shunned and suppressed S. F. State quintet at long last were admitted and given their opportunity to tred the glory road.

First step down the golden street from the environs of Kezar to the uptown big-time of the Civic Auditorium was S. F. A. C. who succumbed to Farmer's flaming five, 37-33, thus avenging a former State shellacking at the hands of the A. C.

UNBEATABLE SQUAD

Contrary to precedence, however, it wasn't the characteristic lung-searing, breathtaking, fast-break of old that humiliated the Club, but rather cold, conservative, hard-headed basketball and an indomitable competitive spirit that shocked not only the spectators, but also the A. C. into the awful realization that here was a squad that wouldn't be beaten.

From the initial whistle to the final gun the Herman hoopsters fought a tedious, laborious uphill battle, trailing at one phase of the performance by as many as ten markers.

Starting slow, the Alligators were content to stay but within hailing distance the first six to eight minutes, the score being knotted twice, 5-5, 7-7, from which point things went from bad to worse to terrible.

GAME BLOWN AWAY

For it was evident that a duplication of State's first loss to S. F. A. C. was in the making, as the smart, basketball-wise veterans of the A. C., featuring two All-Americans, Tee Connelly and Bob Feerick, and a boy who eclipsed them both, Warren Taulbee, succeeded in halting for a while the Farmermen's fast-break in their own (the A. C.'s) fore court.

Pre-game jitters now took its heavy toll, as passes were thrown to the spectators, set-ups blown to the rafters, while fouls made up the remaining portion of the fiasco and the A. C. pulled ahead 7-9, 7-13, 7-15, 10-20, and the halftime count embellished the books at 14-22.

STATE OUT IN FRONT

High-soaring, hard-rebounding Jimmy Keating opened the second act with a pair of tip-ins and a foul to narrow the margin, 19-22, and a moment later Norm Keller, whose right hand push-shot rivals the legendary scoring genius of the great "Hank", not only evened the count, but put the Buchanan basketeers out in front, 25-24, to give his Gater compatriots an advan-

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Navy

V-1, V-7 Students Face June Induction

All V-1 and V-7 reservists will be placed on active status as apprentice seamen on or about July 1, according to word just received by Dean P. F. Valentine from the Director of Naval Officer Procurement. The order came just after the calling of the E. R. C. was consummated. The official orders are as follows:

1. At the time of the introduction of the new Navy College Program, on or about July 1, 1943, all V-1 and V-7 reservists will be placed on active status as apprentice seamen, will receive $50 per month, and will be assigned to colleges designated by the Navy to continue their college training at the expense of the Navy.

2. V-7 reservists who have only one semester of senior year to complete before graduation may continue in the colleges they are now attending, but on an inactive status without pay. All other V-1 and V-7 reservists, when placed on active status, will be assigned to colleges with which the Navy will make contracts for the College Training Program.

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Clubs Must File Blanks Before College Events

There comes an announcement from a very busy student body office to which all organizations should pay special attention.

All organizations wishing to hold activities on campus may get application blanks from Dean Ward's office or from the student body office. These blanks must be filled out and approved two weeks before the event is to take place.

Embarassment has been caused in the past by organizations overlooking this ruling. Enough said?

Student body office hours are now posted outside of Room 119A.

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Portents From the Past

They say that the first time is the toughest; the first time you painfully extract the family car, dentist style, from the folks after rationing started; the first time you get out on the dance floor; the first time you get an "A" in any school at any time. I know.

But one of the most popularly recognized hard "firsts" is the first term in college. Essentially it is a readjustment of your high school maladjustment, a refurbishing of high school shortages, speaking in a mental vein again, and a stepping stone to the world beyond, for better, for worse.

The most difficult period in college is that of adjustment to changing conditions. It is a period of self reliance. You don't go to class if you don't want to, don't do your homework if you don't wish to, don't do anything at any time, any where. There's no teachers in college to hound you. It's entirely up to you. Do the work or fall by the wayside, with countless others.

But there is another side to this "first." That of social readjustment. New faces, new ideas, new problems will all pass in heterogeneous, kaleidoscopic review. It will be hard to look on from the outside, to restrain human ambitions to plunge into the midst of it and show what you can do. For after all, you'll be just a freshman who doesn't know anybody but a few of your own equally classed mates.

The moral of the story?

That's easy!

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Right About Face!

After the short session above, we will now yield our place on the bandwagon to some more practiced evangelist and ignoring our own proverbs, flaunt temptation in front of the new arrivals.

At the current time there is a readjustment taking place on the **Golden Gater.** New editors have just stepped into their positions. This is the first edition to roll off the presses. There are few news writers, fewer feature writers. The handful of veterans from last semester are all equally ranked. There is a chance for new journalists to step into ranking spots as reporters. We can honestly state that **Golden Gater** positions were never so wide open to experienced writers as they are today.

No organization, no fraternity, no newspaper can exist in red blooded vitality without new, young blood. Here is an opportunity for freshmen, fellows and girls alike, to contact prominent students and faculty; here is a chance to get around, literally and figuratively. Don't think that experience is essential. If you can't write, we'll teach you to write!

Here's a chance for the uninitiated student, old or new, to make quick contacts with the inaccessible. Drop around to the **Gater** office and meet the editors. Just remember that you don't need any ability. Look at me. I've been writing for two and a half years.

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In the Beginning

As a starter in filling the editorial job, the main problem seems to be to cram into this space some weighty opinion. For the very fact of our appearance on this page seems to imply a vast knowledge and deep philosophy upon our part.

While extremely reluctant to shatter such an ideal, we must nevertheless deny the possession of any God-given talent for identifying Righteousness and Justice.

Rather, our fondest hopes would be realized if we can serve as "pitchers" to throw opinions and questions at the student in general to stimulate reaction. Nothing will please us more than to get into some lively debate. The editorial columns are open to any guy with a gripe, so come on and toss it at us. We can safely be reached at any time after publication in our own comfortable but inaccessible air-raid shelter.

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The **Gater** editors would like to have your opinion on the new streamlined heads and makeup that we are using this issue. Write us, please.

Old Parable Streamlined

Man is of few days and full of trouble.

He laboreth all the days of his youth to pay for a gasoline chariot, and when at last the task is finished, lo! the thing is junk and he needeth another.

He planteth cotton in the earth and tilleth it diligently, he and his servants and his asses, and when the harvest is gathered into the barns, he oweth the landlord eight dollars and forty cents more than the crop is worth. He borroweth money from the lenders to buy pork and syrup and gasoline and the interest eateth up all that he hath.

FINDETH NO PARKING PLACE

The children of his loins are ornery and one of them becometh a lawyer and another sticketh up a filling station and maketh whoopee with the substance thereof. The wife of his bosom necketh with a stranger, and when he rebukes her, lo! she shooteth him in the finale.

He goeth forth in the morning on the road that leadeth to the city and a jitney smiteth him so that his ribs project through his epidermis.

All the days of his life he findeth no parking plpace and is tormented by traffic cops from his going forth until he cometh back.

An enemy stealeth his car; physicians remove his inner parts and his teeth and his bank roll; his arteries harden in the evening of his life and his heart busteth trying to keep the pace.

HATH LEFT IT ALL

Sorrow and bill collectors follow him all the days of his life, and when he is gathered to his fathers, the neighbors say: "How much did he leave?" Lo! he hath left it all; and his widow rejoiceth in a new coupe and maketh eyes at a young sheik that slicketh his hair and playeth a nifty game of bridge.

Woe is man! From the day of his birth to the time when earth knoweth him no more, he laboreth for bread and catcheth the devil. Dust he was in the beginning and his name is mud.—Freeman's Inn.

Scoop's Skimmings

THE BEST OF THE WEEK AS SKUM BY SCOOP SCHOLTEN

QUIZ TO END ALL QUIZZES

John is madly in love with Sadie, many years his senior. Sadie in turn is wild about Tom. Tom doesn't know this because he has been married to her twenty years. Tom is infatuated with a waitress called Lou. Lou loves chocolate coated almonds. Tom gets a divorce from Sadie.

Question — Why doesnt' John marry Sadie?

Answer — Because ..Sadie's ..his mother, you dope.—Kaydet.

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Smith—"Jones, I think that son of yours is spoiled."

Jones—"I am inclined to disagree with you, old man."

Smith—"Well, come out and see what a steam-roller just did to him."

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Dr. Laird—Now there's nothing in the world too difficult to overcome.

Physics Major—Have you ever tried squeezing shaving cream back into the tube?

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"Halt—Who goes there?"
"American."
"Advance and recite the second verse of 'The Star Spangled Banner'."
"I don't know it."
"Proceed, American."

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STUDENTS' BOOKSTORE

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From One Who Knows To Those Who Don't

By
STAN LERCHE

(Any similarity between the foregoing statements and the actual truth, is purely coincidental.)

Dear New Students:

No doubt, in your bewildered cerebellum, there are many perplexing problems whirling through your grey-matter that seems to be of great importance to you. These bits of advice I am offering to you today are intended to aid you in reducing the load and help in solving many of those problems.

Perhaps the most important is that question of when you are expected to attend class. I have always felt that the weather should play a leading role in making your decision. Let me explain: If it is raining, or if it is too cold to sit out on the balcony to play cards, then by all means go to class. (At least it's warm. Sometimes it gets too hot????) On the other hand, if the weather is warm, the day is beautiful, sleep out on the lawns, at the same time inhaling a lot of fresh air, instead of sleeping in class, and inhaling a lot of hot air!!!

INTELLECTUAL

You have no doubt wondered about the library and what is its use. It, too, is ideal for a siesta, if you feel so inclined. But for actual down-to-earth studying and concentration, the drug store is the most popular place. A good many students avail themselves of the opportunity of studying in an intellectual atmosphere, which is surrounded by peace and quiet. When there, be sure and ask for two cups of coffee. Oh, I know, they tell you it's unpatriotic, but ask for it anyway, even if I know you won't get it. It is really fun to hear the way they refuse to give it to you!

GOING TO CLASSES

The question of going to the show instead of going to class enters into almost every new student's head. May I try to unburden the load by suggesting to you, if you have a science course, history, or government, go to the show! In fact, go to the show anyhow, no matter what class you have. After all, you only paid tuition to stay in school and learn; why worry your little heads about how you learn, or much less what you learn? Besides, pictures are educational. They are, if you are choosy on the shows you select to attend. The Golden Gate, Paramount, Fox, or any of the other larger and better shows are certanly ideal for an afternoon of entertainment as well as education. Many students, however, find they cannot select a picture suitable to their tastes. If this be your case, why not go to the zoo instead? Instead of sitting in class listening to the professor lecture, many students go to the zoo and watch the bg ape!

Hoping these few suggestions will be of aid to you, STAN.

Beauty?

From Exchanges in the El Caballero, El Cerrito High School, February 11, 1943.

Believe me if all these adhering
young charms,
Which I view with admiring dismay
Are to rub off on the shoulders and
arms
Of this suit which was cleaned
just today,
Thou wilt still be adored with my
usual zeal,
My sweetheart, my loved one, my
own;
But I'll sternly repress the emotions I feel
And love you, but leave you alone.

It is not that thy beauty is any the
less,
Nor thy cheeks unaccustomedly
gay;
They are lovely indeed, as I gladly
confess,
And I think I should leave them
that way.
For the bloom of your youth isn't
on very tight,
And the powder rubs off on your
nose,
So my love is platonic, my dear, for
tonight,
Since these are my very best
clothes.

Blum's Bull Session

By
ART BLUM

IF you're puzzled as to why your Bullsession Boy is still toting books instead of a gun, well, you're not the only ones. But the ways of the Army are indeed strange, so until our Unk Samuel decides it's time for us to leave College Hall for a "Bugle Call," we'll be right here on the job trying to put into words just what wartime State is doing and how its doing!

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BLUMMING AROUND STATE

Every term about this time, editors dash wildly about screaming madly for someone to dash off a story welcoming the "new uns" to the stately corridors of ole S. F. State. Okay. But it's been the policy of this column not to welcome, but to introduce the Frosh to State and vice versa—and so here we are, still in the same old rut.

Since beauty takes precedence over all else, meet petite **Maximae Hansen** and diminutive **Helen Gioia,** both girls packing more punch than one of **Barney Mallarino's** "fruit juices — and believe you me, they pack a punch!

But, man alive, there's too many for our limited space — close to 1,050 have registered for this semester, of which some 200 are Freshmen alone!

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BUCHANAN BANTER . . .

These past few weeks have been sort of like "old home weeks" as Stater after Stater in the armed forces came back to visit their old stamping grounds.

There was **Ensign Arnold Vezzani,** in from Northwestern; **Ensign Dave Hendry,** who flew in from back East; **Private Bill Middleton,** in from South Carolina; **Private Louie Repetto,** in from Fort Ord; and **Sergeant Sherman Grant,** just in!

And **Naval Air Cadet Bill Brady,** dropped in (via parachute) to see his lady love, **Janet Barney,** and the gang down the Music Alley, while another Navy flyer, **Bob Lasky,** has been taking n the basketball crucials with ex-State glamahgal, **Martha Matson.**

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CUTUPS AND CO-EDS . . .

Probably the most riotous excursion in recent State annals took place a few weeks back when just 17 (nine gals and eight fellahs) rootin, tootin, spirited Gaters made the trip to Stockton via Streamliner to watch State's cagers wallop College of Pacific, 47 to 45, in a game as wild as the excursion itself.

A brief diary of the trip would read something like this:

Arrived 11:30 a. m.. All 17 of us piled into two taxis, thus breaking every Stockton traffic law on record. **Hal Keller** paid the cabby five dollars—"and received five dollars in change!" Oh, well, one's born every moment . . . lunched . . . then, broke all existing C. O. P. traditions by first invading (all us guys) Women's hall, and then taking over body and soul the Omega Phi Alpha fraternity (yep, all us gals, too). Oh, what a time!

Barbara Krase, Beulah Goldstone, and **Bernice Crohaire** developed housemaid's knee from kneeling and crawling all over the frat to help the Omega Phi's decorate their house for a forthcoming dance . . . and **Nancy Hanno** took a holiday by auditing a class in "America and the War," while little **Marilyn Adams** flitted, flighted and flirted all over the campus, to earn the title of "Sweetie Pie of Omega Phi!

Toured the campus, while **Vince Amendola** and the aforementioned **Mallarino** toured "Otto's Amusement Park." While on tour, amateur cameramen **Adele Menjou** and **Johnny Thomas** snapped pictures all over the place. Boyd Thompson, C. O. P. yell leader, and—er—intimate of our own **Matilda Mortesia,** arranged a special State table in the dining hall that eve, and good food (page D. W.) was had by all.

After the game **Grace Kremesec** soothed the ruffled feelings of the Tiger cagers as only Grace can soothe (sort of a diplomat in petticoats), while the rest of us sang, danced, ate, and made merry! Then the trip home, with **Donsy Rush** capturing the heart of a shy lass from Chicago way and **Peerless Pierre Salinger** capturing all the Superman books in sight.

Junior Miss

By
EARL ANDERSON

"Junior Miss," at the Curran, is not perhaps the greatest play of the generation, but I can unreservedly recommend it as a riotously amusing evening in the theater. Adapted by Chedoroy and Fields (of "My Sister Eileen"), from the stories of Sally Benson, it concerns Judy Graves, her inseparable chum, Fuffy Adams, and the havoc they spread in the Graves family through the vivacity of their adolescent imaginations.

ZANY COMEDY

While the plot seems like something out of "Henry Aldrich's Latest Whim," it serves as adequate framework for some screamingly funny lines and situations, and for a devastatingly delightful picture of the "junior miss"—ungainly, unsteady of voice, full of violent crushes, and equally violent hates—struggling desperately to become a mature "young lady," preferably of the "glamour girl" type. The result is sheer zany comedy, with not too few moments of real, heart-warming understanding.

It is the broad, caricatured type of play that leads inevitably to over-acting, but so uniform is this practice, each member of the cast contributing such a good share that it becomes merely a part of the play, and not a matter really to find fault with. The two young ladies who carry the show, Lenore Thomas as Judy, and Peggy Romano as Fuffy, give delightful performances. Miss Romano, with her uproariously funny voice—sort of an Ezra Stone-Martha Raye combination — is especially remarkable, though I feel Miss Thomas, while lacking such colorful characteristics, has really more acting ability. Eddie Nugent, as Judy's harrassed father, and Lois Wilson, as her equally distracted mother, both did fine jobs.

GOOD PERFORMANCE

Harry Ellerbe, as the romantic Uncle Willis, contributed what I thought to be the most memorable acting of the entire piece. He was restrained, understanding, and generally craftsmanlike. Adrian Marden, as his wife, came close to his work at times, Eileen Clarence, as Judy's glamourous sister, looked a bit over-exotic for a mere sixteen, but was otherwise satisfactory, as was Loring Smith, as "J. B,", Mr. Grave's boss.

Statesmen in Service

By
ADELE MENJOU

STUFF 'N PEOPLE . . .

It looks like old home week around the college buildings with many of the campus alumni returning to inspect the new crop of freshmen entering the hallowed halls for the first time.

Sergeant **Sherman Grant,** former city editor of the **Gater,** just returned from the East. He had a grand time renewing old acquaintances about the college.

Old timer **Bill Middleton** smoked a few cigarettes outside College Hall in memory of the days when that place was a favorite hangout.

Ensign **Arnold Vezzani** had a little trouble trying to place familiar faces. "My gosh, you look a lot like the girl who used to work in the Co-op. Oh! You are the girl who used to work in the Co-op. Humm! Thought the resemblance was striking."

Bob Laskey, former Sigma Pi man, dropped in to show off that flashy new uniform of the Navy Air Corps. It made a deep impression, too, judging from some of the remarks made by a few gals. Example, "Gosh!!!"

The gang in the Co-op almost went into hysterics over the trials and tribulations of **Don Thieler,** who kept them laughing at his experiences at classifying new men that come into the induction center at Monterey, where he is now stationed.

ON THE HOME FRONT . . .

Staff Sergeant **Willie Stein,** 1940 football captain, and 1941 line coach, when last heard from was stationed at Santa Ana Army Air base.

Werner Steinbach is now in Fresno with the Army Air Corps.

Ex-**Gater** Editor **Louis Repetto** is training with the Army Infantry at Camp Roberts.

Alpha Psi Omegan **Armand Hummel** left for Mississippi to take his basic Army Air Corps training.

Former Stater **Caesar Orsini** says it's plenty cold out in old Wyoming. He's attending Quartermaster's school there.

A State student for only a few days, **Art Jaffe** answered the call issued by the Army Air Corps.

Mario Vasquez, of the Army Air Pre-Flight training corps, is stationed in Fresno.

Moving from the induction center at Monterey to St. Petersburg, Fla., **Warren Kliest** is now training in the Army Air Corps ground school located there.

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OVER THERE . . .

Dickie Chin is still carrying on for State in England and doing a darn good job of it.

Anne Dunne, second lieutenant of the Army Nurses Corps, proves by her letter from North Africa, that the women are really up to their necks in the war.

QUICK LUNCH SERVICE
EXCELLENT SANDWICHES
GIANT SHAKES
EVERGOOD BAKERY AND CREAMERY
Haight Street, at Fillmore

Press Box Patter

By GEORGE CAULFIELD

Now that the basketball season is fast disappearing from the limelight, we note that only one State player was listed on the weekly teams picked by the Bay Area Basketball Writers' Association during the latter part of the casaba campaign. Norm Keller gains the honor and incidentally the five dollars of negotiable defense stamps which go with it. Keller was also picked for honorable mention on one occasion, as was Emil Fanfelle. Which causes many to wonder how they overlooked Keating.

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Though the V-1 tests for sophomore Navy Reservists will take place in March, as scheduled, those taking the tests will probably remain in school until the completion of the spring term, and thus cause little effect upon the spring sports outlook. Rumors are that California and Santa Clara are the universities selected by the Army for their college training program.

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Intramurals will again command a strong position in school activities this semester. Baseball teams are already being lined up for the softball tournament.

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The W. A. A. promises a full program of doings ere the curtain rings down upon Spring '43. More information along these lines may be found in the special coumn devoted to the women's athletic endeavors.

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The programs of the Army and Navy along the lines of educating the country to appreciate the values of swimming appear to have fallen upon attentive ears here at State. The beginning men's swimming class has an enrollment of over 40, and many more prospective paddlers were turned away, counselors report. Lyle Collett, former Stater and at present an athletic director at the San Francisco Y. M. C. A., masterminds the course, having replaced Hal Harden late last year when the latter left for his Naval officership. Collett emphasizes rest strokes, ability to remain afloat, and endurance, leaving the so-called speed strokes in the background, much in the same style as is taught in Army and Navy centers.

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State's new baseball field on the Lake Merced campus-to-be will get its share of use this season with practices held there at frequent intervals. Possibility of scheduled games there is unknown at present.

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By this time all of you have heard about George Drollette's 27 digits for the Stuart Oxygen Company's basketball team not so long ago. We glanced through our vest pocket handicapper's volume pertaining to State casabans and found Drollette listed as an "anywhere from 13 to 21 points a game" player, but that's far from 27. Maybe it's the brand of oxygen one uses.

Tennismen Aim For Recovery of Trophy From San Jose State

By BASIL PRITCHARD

Coach Dan Farmer's well known ability in the field of sports is not confined to our super glamorous basketball team. His varsity racqueteers return to the State courts this month to begin preparation for the coming campaign known as the Northern California Intercollegiate Tennis Association. Two years ago our netmen brought home the beautiful trophy symbolizing V for victory. The trophy was lost last year to San Jose State, but 1943, with the return of such veterans as Dick Schwab, Harry Coleman, Gene Short, Ross Furneaux, Bill Campbell, and the writer, finds State's varsity with a better than even chance to repeat the 1941 success.

Of interest to every member of the Associated Students, however, is the fact that Coach Dan Farmer wants it definitely known that places on the tennis ladder are wide open, and every male at State (all 15 of you) is invited to try out for a chance to compete in one of the fastest leagues in the Bay Area. The association includes the S. J. State Spartans, the Santa Clara Broncos, Saint Mary's Galloping Gaels, and the U. S. F. Dons.

Practice matches for the Gaters have been tentatively set for the first two weeks in March against Cal Frosh, Lowell, and Saint Ignatius.

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It takes approximately nine tons of sugar cane to produce one ton of raw sugar.

Gater Sports

Track Outlook Dim As Few Vets Return

State's track team, though hard hit by the draft and reserve calls, will operate again this year, Coach David Cox assured this week. Needless to say there is still room for prospective tracksters who wish to sign up.

Returning veterans are: Sprints, Jim Keating, Pete Cuttitta; middle distances, John Rocky, Louie Vasquez; broad jump, Dick Murray; weight events, Bill Shinn; pole vault, Bob Woods; and mile, John Gianopolus.

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Between 1860 and 1920, 28,500,000 foreigners entered into this nation's labor force.

Intramural Baseball to Start Next Monday

Intramural baseball will start March 1. Applications may be obtained either from Dan Farmer or Warren Hayden, Box 9. As this may be the last intramural tournament for some time to come, let's make it a huge success. Cards must be filled out and handed in today. The schedule will be posted on the gym bulletin board Monday and all teams notified.

J. V. Cagers Finish Successful Season; Drollette Sets Mark

Their season now officially completed, the Jayvee basketball team can look back upon a highly successful casaba campaign.

Dick Murray's prodigies came out on top in 15 of their 22 contests, averaging 44 points a game while doing so. Outstanding offensive threat of the J.V.'s throughout the schedule was George Drollette, who tallied a fantastic 237 points in the season, or approximately 13 a game, to set a new record for the team.

Among the victims of the Gaters were the Treasure Island five, who otherwise would be still in the ranks of the undefeated, and the potent Livermore Air Base. The jayvees went down in defeat in closely-fought, give-and-take struggles with the U. S. F. and San Jose State junior varsities.

Those participating in ten or more games:

Name—	F.G.	F.T.M.	Pts.
G. Drolette	109	19	237
C. Dawson	40	7	87
B. Shinn	31	20	82
M. Morena	33	7	73
O. Bottini	32	8	72
J. Witt	29	8	66
W. Steinbach	20	16	56
J. Apostol	23	2	48
G. Phillips	16	5	37
D. Zink	6	9	21
D. Rush	7	2	16
A. Lasalle	4	1	9

Gater Basketballers Split With Nevada; Keating Goes Wild

Adding a fitting finale to their regular season's play, Dan Farmer's varsity cagers toppled the highly-touted University of Nevada quintet last Saturday evening on the Wolfpack's Reno court after succumbing to the out-of-staters on the previous night.

Highlight of the two games was the offensive outburst of Jim Keating, who after tallying eleven digits in the first game, came back to the courtfest the next evening and rang up an ultra fantastic 27 points. The consistently sharp eye of Norm Keller aided the Gater center to gather in an excellent thirteen counters in the opener, and came back with a remarkable twelve in the follow-up.

The Friday night tussle saw the Galloping Gaters roll up 35 points, while the Nevadans were garnering 40. Saturday the Wolfpack garnered the 35, while Farmer's five grabbed 44.

The Gaters are now entered in the Pacific Athletic Association. The winner in this big event will go to Denver as Pacific Coast representative in the playoffs for the national championship.

In addition to State, prominent teams entered in the P. A. A. are: St. Mary's, Santa Clara, U. S. F., S. F. A. C., and the favorites, Coast Guard Sea Lions.

Gater Cage Team Takes S. F. A. C.

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tage which, though often threatened, was never relinquished.

State's man-to-man defense, coupled with the sharp passing and general all around smooth ball handling of Goodyear, Gustafson, Keating, Keller and Fanfelle, baffled, yea, mesmerized, the A. C., who scored but a field goal and three fouls in the first fifteen minutes of the second period.

STORY BOOK FINISH

It was at this point that diminutive Aime Fanfelle, who suffered a broken nose from a previous engagement with Nevada and who tonight displayed Spartan courage in playing the entire contest with an unbandaged smashed proboscis, went into his act, dribbling with untouchable finesse for half a minute at a crack, passing, cutting and faking as only the fabulous Frenchman can, until the A. C., becoming frantic as time inevitably slipped by, fouled the little man three times. Two of these Fanfelle made and the final count? State 37, A. C. 33.

W. A. A. SPORTS

By PAT JONES

Announcement that the W. A. A. has started a rigorous spring sports campaign was made today by Lucille Paulson, W. A. A. president. President Paulson continued by saying that lots of fun and excitement are involved in these activities, as well as the sports being highly beneficial to the girls' well-being.

To give you a clear picture of what is ahead, the spring schedule is presented. Clip this for future reference:

Badminton (Gire), Thursday—12 to 1.
Basketball (Gire), Tuesday—12 to 1.
Fencing (Hinkle), Mon.-Wed.—12 to 1.
Folk Dancing (Wakefield) Tu.—7 to 9 p. m.
Kappa Delta Tau (Van Gelder), Wednesday—6 to 8 p. m.
Softball (Stephenson), Monday—12 to 1.
Swimming (Holtz)—Optional.
Tennis (Row), Thursday—11 to 12.

Besides this complete sports program the W. A. A. has planned four big events, all of which will be held on the campus. On March 20 a playday will be held for all State women. Following that, on April 10, W. A. A. presents its college playday. On April 19 this organization will play hostess to the mothers at a mother-daughter dinner. To complete the year's program an installation and award banquet will be given on May 21.

Build up some enthusiasm and come out for these activities. Last semester in this column the same names were used over and over again, simply because these same people came out time after time. Let's have some new names and new faces this semester.

Special mention this week goes to Dot Throndson and Lucille Paulson, co-chairmen of last week's A. W. S.-W. A. A. tea held in the Activities room, and to hostesses Margie Weber, Marcia May Morris, Judy Steele, Edith Mareck, Mary Engler and Charlotte Plumb.

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Prospective Golfers May Sign Up Now

Any State men who are interested in signing up for the golf team are requested to see Dave Schutz personally or use the sign-up sheet in the men's locker room.

The spring schedule, now being arranged, is dependent upon the size of the turnout.

New Coach, Players Bolster Chances of '43 Baseball Nine

With a new coach, a turnout greater than that of last year and a squad composed of capable veterans, plus numerous promising transfers and freshmen, State's 1943 baseball team is looking forward toward a successful season, beginning this spring.

Heading the pitching corps will be Dick Murray, returning from Gater nines of the past two years. Ed Russell, a transfer from St. Mary's, whose experience includes playing on Lowell high teams and also for the San Mateo Blues in semi-pro competition, will also be available for mound duty when necessary.

JIM WITT RETURNS

The catching department appears to be the strong point of the Gaters, with Jim Witt, capable receiver from the '42 aggregation, and Snar Saghatalian, another ex-St. Mary's collegian, putting up a good battle for the first string berth. Saghatalian is a former batting star from Fresno high, while Witt performed for Poly and has distinguished himself in local semi-pro ball.

First base candidates include Pete Cuddyre and Jim Regan. Cuddyre, out of Oakland Fremont high, showed signs of developing into the batting mainstay of the nine during early practices. Fighting for other infield spots are lettermen John Apostol and Jack Flemmer, freshmen Mike Mancoulis and George Caulfield, plus the aforementioned Russel.

HOURCADE IN OUTFIELD

Outfielders include returning letterman Aime Hourcade, Carlo Grazzini and Al Bonelli from San Leandro; Jack Joyce of St. Mary's, and "Chuck" Dawson, Irwin Fumagalli and Frank Hoffman from former State outfits.

Coaching the team this year is Bob Marcus, star of Gater nines of a few years back. Marcus played under Hal Harden and now returns to replace his former coach.

Games are scheduled with leading Bay Area colleges.

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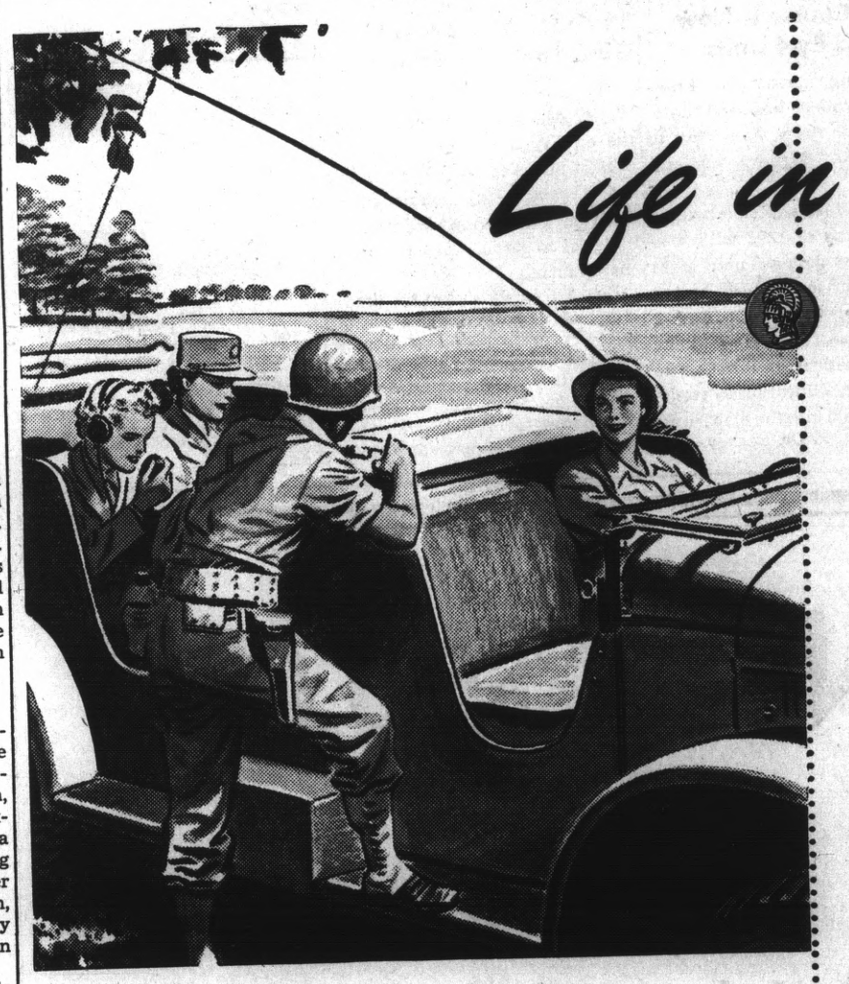
Pictures, Refreshments at A. M. S. Meeting Planned

The Associated Men Students are planning a get-together for the men—the few that are left—in the very near future. Neil Harriman announced that some new track and football pictures would be shown and refreshments served. An A-one attraction on any man's calendar. The place and time will be announced in about two weeks.



Life in the WAAC

Some questions and answers of interest to every patriotic college woman

First of all, is the WAAC really needed?

Emphatically *yes!* Already the President has authorized the Corps to expand from 25,000 to 150,000. The Air Forces and Signal Corps have asked for thousands of WAAC members to help with vital duties. Both Ground Forces and Services of Supply are asking for thousands more. Members of the WAAC may be assigned to duty with the Army anywhere — some are already in Africa and England.

Can the WAAC really help win the war?

The whole idea of the WAAC is to *replace trained soldiers* needed at the front. If American women pitch in now to help our Army (as women in Britain, Russia and China do), we can hasten Victory — and peace.

What can my college education contribute?

College training is important equipment for many WAAC duties too long to list. Cryptography, drafting, meteorology, laboratory work, Link trainer and glider instructing, for example. If you are a senior *you may enroll at once* and be placed on inactive duty until the school year ends. See your WAAC faculty adviser for more details.

But can I live comfortably on WAAC pay?

There are few civilian jobs in which you could earn clear income, as WAAC enrolled members do, of $50 to $138 a month — with all equipment from your toothbrush to clothing, food, quarters, medical and dental care provided. WAAC officers earn from $150 to $333.33 a month.

The drilling sounds so strenuous—?

Nonsense! The most beautiful women in America today are the girls in khaki! Some calisthenics and drilling are vital to general good health, discipline and tuned-up reflexes. After a few weeks at Fort Des Moines, Daytona Beach or the new Fort Oglethorpe training center you'll feel better than ever in your life.

Maybe I wouldn't like the work?

People are happiest doing what they do well. Every effort is made to place you where your service will count most toward final Victory. You may have some latent talent that will fill a particular need for work interesting and new to women — such as repairing the famous secret bombsight, rigging parachutes, operating the fascinating new electronic devices — or driving an Army jeep over foreign terrain.

Then I have a chance to learn something new?

Yes, indeed. And the list of WAAC duties grows constantly. The training and experience you get in the WAAC may equip you for many stimulating new careers opening up for women.

What are my chances of promotion?

Excellent. The Corps is expanding rapidly and needs new officers, both commissioned and noncommissioned. *Those who join now have the best chances.* All new officers now come up through the ranks. If qualified, you may obtain a commission in 12 weeks after beginning basic training.

What is the age range and other requirements?

Very simple. You may join if you are a U. S. citizen, aged 21 to 44, inclusive, at least 5 feet tall and not over 6 feet, in good health — regardless of race, color or creed. But the Army needs you *now* — don't delay. Total War won't wait!

Linguists needed. If you speak and write Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, German or Italian, see your local Army recruiting office *now!* You are needed for interpreting, cryptography, communications.

Women's Army Auxiliary Corps

"KEEP 'EM FLYING!" For further information see your nearest

U. S. ARMY RECRUITING AND INDUCTION STATION

THE Music CORNER

First for the edification of the hermits, the Music Fed. election resulted in the election of Ellerth Larson, Catherine Penn, Bea Gregg and Ed Robinson in the offices of president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, respectively. But again, Uncle Sam has plans, and has called brother Robinson, so petitions are in for the lame duck election, to be held on March 3.

These officers are ably supported by six board members from the various activities, with Alice Dostie, Symphony Artist Payne, A Cappella, Hans Schultz, Chorus, Ardis Lawhead, String Quartet, Dena Hamoult, Treble Clef, Frank Hoffman, Band. With such a fine Board, it looks like a good term.

At the last Board meeting Leighton Edelman brought in a request from the Composer's Workshop that they be chartered as a represented group. This was received favorably by the Board, but action has not been taken, pending organization of the group.

Revision of the Constitution was discussed, and a committee headed by Alice Dostie was appointed to work on the Constitution. Plans for a party on the 13th were talked over. Warning—Don't miss it!

Letters have been received from Bill Garzoli, Gloria Catalano and George "Murphy" Makamura, thanking us for the News letter and **Gaters** they have received. It is good to hear from some of the old gang, especially if they are far away, for it's an indication that they still think of the Alley. Letters of this nature are always pasted on the bulletin board, so be sure and look there once in a while.

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FURTHER ABOUT PIERRE'S MEANDERINGS

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And yet, the miracle of the whole thing is that State has done this all without an official yell leader. An official yell leader would help—the executive board ought to think that over, and see if they can't appoint one.

Rumblings—There's a move on foot to put State on the College Honor system. Seems too many students are cheating their way through school!

The book store hit a ridiculous all-time low in book exchanges last week when they offered to buy your Orientation book for 25 cents, after you paid $2.75 for it.

Finally—a pat on the back to a very unappreciated man — Dave Schutz—who has done a lot toward putting S. F. State on the map nationally with a swell job of publicity The basketball team did a lot for that too!

Beta Pi Sigma, Science Dept., Makes Term Plans

The Science Department staff has taken on a greater load this term than ever experienced before, according to Dr. Stanley W. Morse. The cause is due to members being called into the service of the government, a difficulty which the entire school has had to adjust itself to.

Although the Science Department has lost four instructors in the last year and a half, it still maintains the same schedule of courses, even adding one this term that is usually only given in the fall semester.

Under their president, Paul Scholten, the Science Club, Beta Pi Sigma, is making plans for a greater program of entertainment and service. Many pictures of current interest will be shown during the term. These pictures are always open to the student body. Announcements of these events will be posted well in advance.

According to Mrs. Edna M. Fisher, club sponsor, the club also takes on the task of being the official organ of traffic and emergency control in the Science building during air raid alarms.

From among the Beta Pi Sigma members come the first aiders, stretcher bearers and general assistants during the emergency. There is a need for new members and all people interested in serving in some capacity are urged to join.

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Where Do We Go From Here

WASHINGTON — (ACP) — Results of a national inquiry into the collegiate mind were announced this week by OWI.

Here are some of the questions answered by government experts:

Q. What's the most useful thing to do before being drafted?

A. Keep studying until called. Get into good physical condition. Read about the new kind of war and why we fight it.

Q. Are more educated men really needed or should we all get into the army or production jobs?

A. So far as you are free to do so, it's wiser to continue your education but to direct your studies to greater war usefulness.

Q. What are the plans for training and using college women?

A. WMC is developing proposals for utilizing college men and women in many useful war activities. These plans will be announced soon.

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On the four "sugar islands" of Hawaii—Oahu, Maui, Kauai — are located 38 plantations which produce nearly 1,000,000 tons of sugar each year.

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Then there was the novelist who got the idea for his second novel from the screen version of his first.

Executive Board Minutes

February 23, 1943

The meeting of the Executive Board was called to order by President Fran Young at 4:10 p. m. Lucille Paulson, W. A. A.; Herb Wright, Art Federation; and Neil Harriman, A. M. S., were noted absent. The minutes were read and corrected.

Pierre Salinger noted as Club Advisory proxy.

COMMUNICATIONS

A letter was received from Rally Commissioner Alex Vladimiroff, in which he asked the Executive Board to accept his resignation.

A letter was received from the Pacific Student Presidents' Association stating that the annual PSPA convention has been set for April 29 and 30, May 1 and 2, at Reno, Nevada.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Social Affairs—March 4th is a faculty meeting at 10 o'clock in the morning. Noon-day dance on Wednesday, February 24th.

College assembly at 2:00, February 24.

Freshman Reception from 3:30 to 5:00, February 24th.

Student Christian Association will hold a Folk-Dance on Friday, February 26th, at 7:30 o'clock.

A. W. S. will go in a body to donate blood for the Red Cross on February 26.

P. A. A. Tournament, in which S. F. State Basketball team will participate, will begin on February 23.

First "Tea" held jointly by A. W. S. and W. A. A. on Friday, February 19, was considered a big success.

A. W. S. will sponsor an Open House on March 3rd to further interest of the Activities Room. The purpose will be to show the room to the entire student body.

Fifteen students at a time will go in a body to the Red Cross to donate their blood on Friday, February 26th.

During the day A. W. S. will take the names of any other students who wish to donate their blood. These students may go another day.

Athletic Council—Four answers have been received from colleges as to the question of awarding "Blocks" to athletes. Leighton Edelman will continue to receive these letters, as Al Goria is to leave shortly for the armed forces.

Drama Council — In process of reorganization.

Rally Commission — Rally to be presented a week from Friday.

Publications — Paul Scholten is new Director of Publications.

Contracts being given for the work on Franciscan. Senior pictures being taken.

Music Federation — Music Federation cards have been distributed.

Speech Arts—Debates to be given with colleges of Bay Area at the Telenews Theater. Participation with KFRC.

Club Advisory—Plans being made for an Inaugural Dinner. Sigma Alpha Eta preparing addresses for the Orientation classes. Al Goria noted chairman of a joint Sigma Alpha Eta, Alpha Phi Gamma information handbook.

OLD BUSINESS

Al Goria moved, Rita Balbi seconded, that the Student Body Association buy a war bond, the amount of which will be decided upon by the Finance Council. Passed.

Paul Scholten reported that Executive Board pins will be ready in two weeks.

NEW BUSINESS

Rita Balbi moved, Frank Gillio seconded, that the Executive Board accept Alex Vladimiroff's resignation as Rally Commissioner. Passed.

President Young submitted the name of Anita Pakele to fill the vacancy of Rally Commissioner.

Paul Scholten moved, Frank Gillio seconded, that the Executive Board accept Anita Pakele as Rally Commissioner. Passed.

Dr. Deutch, vice president of U. C., is to be a speaker at the assembly on Wednesday, February 24, at 2:00.

David Schutz asked that if anyone should see anything in the papers about men in the armed forces from S. F. State College, to please turn the articles in to his office, Room 119-B.

Erwin Gimov moved, Frank Gillio seconded, that the President and the President-elect be sent as delegates to the Pacific Student Presidents' Association to be held in Reno, Nevada, on April 29 and 30, and May 1 and 2. This being a matter of finance, it shall be referred to the Finance Commission, until the next meeting when it shall then be voted upon.

Frank Gillio is to find a special room in which to make posters.

Meeting adjourned at 5:05 p. m.

TINA ARIANI, Secy.

Nursing Course Is Now Shortened By 4 Units

The nursing course at San Francisco State College has been shortened by four units, according to Dr. Edna L. Barney, women's physician.

The course has been changed from 124 units to 120, with one minor in psychology and eight units of electives instead of the two minors previously required.

"This new unit change will make it more convenient for nurses who have a college education to transfer their credits into the eight units of electives,' said Dr. Barney.

Students Are Urged to Give Books for Soldiers

"If it's a book you want to keep, it's the right one to give," this is the quality test suggested to donors of books to the Victory Book Drive, now being conducted at State in order to afford reading material to service men and merchant marine.

Books or magazines of the digest type may be deposited in a special container in the reference room of the college library, according to Miss Ruth Fleming, librarian.

Come on, Staters, GIVE a book. Who knows when YOU may have an occasion to use a Victory Book.

A. W. S. Sponsors Annual Frosh Reception and Tea

Each semester the freshmen entering San Francisco State are invited to a traditional tea sponsored by the A. W. S. This tea gives the student a chance to become acquainted with the members of the faculty, outside of the ordinary class meeting.

Last Wednesday the annual tea was again presented for the freshmen and new students. The event was highly successful due to the work of the student committees, under the leadership of Beverly Forney. The tea was held in the Frederic Burk auditorium, from 3:30 to 5:00 in the afternoon.

Refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cookies, were served to the students and faculty.

The senior hostess of the occasion was Georgina Schmidt, assisted by chairman of the hostess committee, Alede Pruitt. Other students deserving credit for their work are Bernice Crowhare, invitation chairman; Tina Ariani, arrangements chairman; Beverly Brillhart, decorations chairman; and Pat Thomas, publicity chairman.

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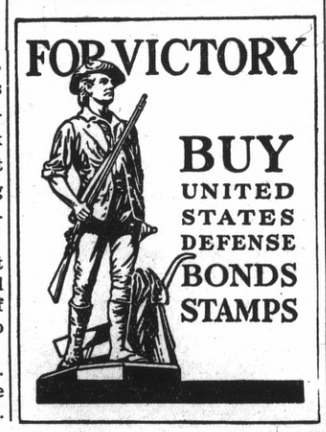
★ Student Christians

In order to foster good will among the students, the Student Christian Association is sponsoring a night of folk dancing and entertainment. The dance will be held in the Frederic Burk auditorium at 8:00 p. m. on Friday, February 26.

There will be a teacher at the dance to introduce the newcomers into the intricacies of folk dancing. So if you don't know how to dance, don't let that stop you. Fun to be had by all.



What's Doing Among the Student Organizations

★ ART FEDERATION

Organizing of the art students in the college is one of the main functions of the Art Federation. The Federation also sponsors the semi-annual art exhibit, which includes plates done by students.

All posters which are used for publicity purposes around the campus are approved by a committee selected from this organization.

Any member of the student body is eligible to obtain membership in the Art Federation, for which a nominal fee is charged.

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★ A. W. S.

"Portraits in Rhythm" is the theme of the rally to be held by the Associated Women Students in the College Little Theater. The rally will be held on Monday, March 15, at noon. All women student body card holders are invited. There will be entertainment and refreshments for all who attend. New students are especially asked to come, as it will give them a chance to become acquainted with the activities carried on by the members of the A. W. S.

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★ Delta Phi Upsilon

Delta Phi Upsilon, national education fraternity, recently planned their new calendar for the coming term and elected the officers which will preside over the organization

Newly elected officers include: Lois Grey, recording secretary; Patricia Thmas, corresponding secretary; Mary Back, treasurer; and Jackie Block, historian.

Another purpose of the meeting was for the initiation of new members which include: Janet Barney, Jackie Block, Myla Austin, Jayn Cook, Shirley Salmirs, Lois Grey, Jean Stanbridge, and Betty Conway.

The fraternity, which is very well known for its work last year in assisting with evacuee children, aiding the nursery school, and helping with the teaching of soldiers here at State, plans this term to recondition toys for the needy children, entertain youngsters at Children's hospital and assist mothers who work in the care of their children.

Blood Donors

Girls! Did you see the table in front of the Co-op since 10 o'clock this morning? That table will be there until 3 p. m. today, during which time all girls are urged to sign up for donating a pint of blood to the Red Cross blood bank. Girls may go to the blood bank either at a specific hour reserved by the A. W. S. or at the girl's own convenience.

Donating your blood is really helping the war effort, so sign up now! Remember, a pint of your blood may actually save the life of your brother or your sweetheart!

War Job for Colleges

Many a small college finds itself cast into the story night now that the Army-Navy-War Manpower joint selection board has picked the schools to carry out the armed services' specialized training programs.

One promising plan comes to Washington from Robert G. Ramsey, dean of students at Olivet College in Michigan. He suggests such schools be used for rehabilitating and re-educating wounded fighters as they return from the front. Small college surroundings, Dean Ramsey believes, would be ideal for restoring mind, body and skills. For colleges, the plan offers useful war service for the duration and some time after.

"The nation's capital" is being spread across the map in the wartime decentralization program. In a single year, enough agencies were moved from Washington to make room for 37,076 workers here. Removal of one office alone took 9,000 jobs out of town.

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Harry Robie Killed On Bombing Raid

Lieutenant Harry Robie, former State athlete and former right-hand man for Mr. Nee, the comptroller, was killed in action over Western Europe on January 23.

Harry had become the pilot of a flying fortress, and was serving in that capacity when he met death.

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